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LOK SABHA

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MULTI STATE COOPERATIVE SOCIETY
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether under various sections of Multi-State Co-operative Societies Act, 2002 the Board of Directors (BoD) can constitute committees or sub committees other than the executive committee, nominate members of general body in such committees and invite two members to its meetings; and

(b) if so, the details thereof indicating the conditions stipulated for the same?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE(SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) & (b): As per the provisions of section 53 of the Multi State Cooperative Societies (MSCS) Act, 2002, the Board may constitute an Executive Committee and other committees or sub-committees as may be considered necessary subject to the condition that the number of other committees or sub-committees shall not exceed three. These committees or sub-committees are constituted from the members of Board of Directors. However, as per provisions of section 50 of the MSCS Act, 2002, the board may invite two persons in its meetings.There is no specific provision in the MSCS Act, 2002 for inviting members to the meetings of the committees/sub-committees.